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Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, Coughs, Asthma Cramp Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria, &c

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Listen to the truthful story,
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He in truthful words will tell you,
Just the goods he has to sell you.
Mind ye now he isn't joking,
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What he keeps does not need puffing.
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From all parts of the "Old Dominion,"
He has stock and his opinion
Is that none can suit you better,
They will please you to the letter.
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Smoke in the mostlovely manner;
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Just to suit each taste and passion;
And it is in Canada stated,
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That your teeth will never ruin:
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Pipes of brier and stems of cherry,
More than any man can carry;
It would take a week to tell you
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With what is by all decided
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Do. via Tacoma.....	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M	Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 7 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Island.	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Oct. 10.
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New Westminster & Burrard Inlet.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 7 P.M.
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Esquimalt.....	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin.....	Monday, 1 P.M.....	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich.....	Thursday, 10 A.M.....	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
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Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

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R. WALLACE, Post Office Inspector.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1875. no4

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CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE
Cutlery, Carpets,
And all kinds of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,

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BON BONS or WORM TABLETS,

A PURELY VEGETABLE SWEETMEAT, both in appearance and taste, furnishing a most agreeable method of administering the only certain remedy for INTESTINAL or THREAD WORMS. It is a perfectly safe and mild preparation, and is specially adapted for children.

TESTIMONIAL.

"Harpenden, 7th March, 1871.

To Mr. THOMAS KEATING,

"SIR,—My two little girls, aged respectively three and two years, showed symptoms of having worms, so I obtained some of your Worm Bon bons from Mr. Bushby, and they effected such a thorough cure—in fact, I think, saved their lives. The elder little girl had sixteen worms come from her. I think it my duty to acquaint you with the fact.

"FRED'K, WILLMOTT."

SOLD IN TINS, BY ALL CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS.

THOMAS KEATING, London,
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Indents for pure Drugs and Chemicals carefully xecuted. ap27w

KEATING'S COUGH LOZENGE

The best and safest remedy for
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ASTHMA,
COLDS,
HOARSENESS,
CONSUMPTION (Incipient),
ACCUMULATION OF PHLEGM.

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Indents for pure Drugs and Chemicals carefully executed. no12w

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

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As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage. ja23

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HAVE RECEIVED EX LADY LAMPSON the largest and most valuable stock of

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From various eminent makers, ever imported into this Province, and respectfully invite inspection.

A SPLENDID DOUBLE ACTION HARP by Erard of Paris, and a large collection of Book and Sheet Music, suitable for every class.

Especial attention is directed to their IRON FRAME PIANOS admirably adapted for the extreme North, carefully packed and delivered at the wharf free of charge. Send for prices and terms.

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For the next 30 Days,

IRRESPECTIVE OF PRICES!!

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In every variety, direct from the Eastern Manufacturers, which he offers for sale at

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Lamps, Bird Cages, Door Mats,

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POCKET BILLIARD TABLE

With Marble Bed and everything complete, to be sold at a very LOW PRICE.

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ON HING,

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Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. ja11 2m

Notices.

NOTICE.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED DO HEREBY caution the public in Victoria and Cassiar against crediting for labor or material for the Discovery Claim on Dease Creek, as we intend to make a change in the foremanship. We also wish to state that the claim is not to be worked until representing time.

WM. MOORE,
J. W. MOORE.
Victoria, B. C., 6th Feb., 1876. fe8

Canadian Pacific Railway.

THE OFFICES OF THE CANADIAN PACIFIC Railway have been removed to

Dominion Block,

Opposite the Bank of British Columbia on Government street. oc5

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E Cridge and Mrs. Cridge

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to

ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the firm of Jesse and H. M. Cowper will please hand in the same; and those indebted to the firm will please pay their accounts.

JESSE & H. M. COWPER.
January 21st, 1875. ja22

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE RESponsible for any debts incurred on his account except upon his written order.

TWO FARMS FOR SALE. Apply to the undersigned, or at the COLONIST Office.

M. HOWLAND.
Burnside, Jan. 14, 1876. ja15

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF

Mules or Horses,

BELONGING TO THE

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,

Without written authority after this notice,

WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order MARCUS SMITH.
VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

ROAD TAX LIST.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Road Tax List for Comox District is posted at the Courthouse and at the Hudson Bay Co's store at Comox.

JOS. RODELLO, Collector
Comox, Jan. 29, 1876. fe5dw

Estate of Captain Otis Parsons, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the estate of Otis Parsons, late of the City of Victoria, who died on or about the 4th day of November, 1875, are required to send in particulars of such claims to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of February, 1875; and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such debts to me forthwith.

EDWIN JOHNSON,
Langley St., Victoria, Solicitor to Administrator. ja19dwlm

NOTICE.

MR. JAMES GIBSON WILL TRANSACT business for me during my absence from the Province.

A. BUNSTER.
Victoria, Feb. 3d, 1876. fe5

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIETORS of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.

SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON,
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.

Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

Insolvent Act of 1875.

Alfred Fellows and Francis J Roscoe, Plaintiffs. John Herdman, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED in this cause, and the creditors are notified to meet at my office, Wharf street, in the City of Victoria, on the 29th day of February, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee, if they see fit.

C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, Feb. 12th, 1876. fe2

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STANDARD BILLIARD TABLES,

With the Celebrated

Delaney's Patent Steel Wire Cushions

THE BEST AND ONLY RELIABLE TABLES MANUFACTURED.

FOUR NEW STYLES,

Nonpareil, Grecian Curve,
Inlaid Bevels, California Bevels.

The Delaney Patent Cushions are endorsed by the following Scientific Judges, whose decision is certainly worthy the consideration of amateurs: A. Garnier, Chatsy, Vignaux, The Dions, A. P. Rudolph, Maurice Daly, A. Kraker, etc., etc., as the only

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First Class New Inlaid Bevel Table.....$325 00
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Complete with all appurtenances.
Second hand Billiard Tables, Straight or Beveled, but little used, at from.....$125 00 to $250 00

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NEW, ATTRACTIVE & BEAUTIFUL POOL TABLES!

AMERICAN POOL TABLE, six pockets, complete Wooden Bed.....$175 00
Same—Slate Bed..... 200 00
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BALLS, CLOTHS, CUES,

And Everything Appertaining to Billiard

The well known reputation of our Old Established House is a sure guarantee to the purchaser against misrepresentation. Before purchasing elsewhere we invite the trade and the public to examine our stock and compare the prices.

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Daily British Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 1ST, 1876.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Election Laws.

Whilst the Ministry are in the enjoyment of the breathing-spell which the opposition of their predecessors has secured to them, we take it for granted that they will employ themselves in rectifying the mistakes of the past by preparing for legislation measures of a progressive and liberal character to take the place of the antiquated and cumbersome machinery that was retained or invented by Walkem & Co. And in no class of laws is there room for greater improvement than in those relating to elections. To Mr. McCreight the country is indebted for the Ballot. Before the introduction of secret voting an election in a small constituency was little better than a farce. Few men were sufficiently independent to vote against a Government candidate, and beneath the eye of an official to whom he had been indebted perhaps for a fat job, or expected to be at his own figure, many a man has been known to vote as his patron wished against his own convictions and even against his pledges. Happily, this odious system has been swept away with other cobwebs and is now numbered with the past. In catching up the threads of legislation dropped by Mr. McCreight, however, the DeCosmos-Walkem Government retained the Hustings where a Show of Hands for or against candidates is demanded. This is open voting. To hold up your hand for or against a candidate indicates how you intend to vote. Where, then, is the use of the Ballot, since if you attend the Hustings and raise your hand every one knows how you intend to cast your ballot? There are always some who hold up their hands on one side and who secretly intend to ballot for the other; but they resort to that species of deception because they dare not express the true state of their minds—afraid to give offence to some person to whom they are already or expect soon to be under some obligation, but against whose favorite they intend secretly to record a vote. In great Britain and Canada the returning officer attends on the day indicated by proclamation to receive nominations. Each candidate appears with a certain number of political supporters who sign a paper endorsing him as "the man for Galway." The returning officer receives the paper, reads out the names of the nominee and his endorsers, and the affair is over. There are no speeches. We believe in England speaking is not allowed at nominations since the introduction of the Ballot. A very short clause would provide for the abolition of the existing mode of nominating. The present mode of marking the ballot might be simplified. Instead of requiring a cross to be placed opposite the name of the candidate for whom the elector wishes to vote, why should he not be allowed to erase the name of the candidate for whom he does not wish to vote? Why, for instance, should a ballot thus marked be thrown out when the elector has clearly declared his preference by expressing his non-preference? Then there is the system of numbering the Ballot—only useful in case of a scrutiny, and always raising in the voter's mind the fear that the returning officer, or poll-clerk knows just how he has voted. This fear, doubtless, deters many from voting. We believe that upwards of forty qualified electors refrained from using the Ballot at the last election through this fear. This obstacle ought not to exist—at least, there should be no room for its existence in the mind of a single elector. In the Ballot Act there is another very grave defect which should be remedied. The population of most of our electoral districts is very scattered, and polls have to be opened in several places on the same day. We shall take the Yale election, now on, as a case in point. There are several polling-divisions in this District from 50 to 150 miles apart. At the close of the poll in each division the poll-clerk will seal the box containing the ballots and start for Kamloops. The box is supposed not to be out of his possession or sight from the time it is sealed until he delivers it to the returning officer. But as he must stop somewhere on the road and take "forty winks" who knows what may happen to the ballots while he slumbers. It might be a difficult matter to abstract the genuine ballots and place in their stead bogus ones, but it would not be a hard task (supposing the box once opened) to put two crosses instead of one opposite Mr. Vernon's name on some of the ballots cast for him and thus insure their being thrown out by the returning officer. But another fate might befall the ballot-box. The messenger might be carried away by a swift, running stream and the box and ballots lost. Or he might be waylaid and the ballots destroyed. (A few weeks ago, in Manitoba, the returning officer's house was broken into and the ballots stolen!) Now, it must strike everyone that a simpler and safer plan would be for every polling-clerk or deputy returning officer to count the ballots cast at his division in the presence of the candidates or their agents, and in place of sending the ballots to the returning officer at Kamloops to be counted—and run the risk of their being tampered with or lost on the way—to send him the result. The poll would thus be declared by divisions instead of as now by the district.

There are several other important alterations of election laws that we hope to see made and of which we shall speak in a future article.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

CEYLON.

POINT DE GALLE, Ceylon, Feb. 24.—Twenty survivors, out of upwards on 80 persons, who were on board the emigrant ship Strathmore, have been landed here by a passing vessel. It is supposed all the others perished. The Strathmore sailed from London for New Zealand, and has been missing a long time. She was wrecked on Crovet Islands in July, 1875.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—A telegram to the owners of the Strathmore says that 40 of her passengers and crew were saved, and all the rest were drowned.

The American whaler, Young Phœnix, saved 41 of the survivors of the emigrant ship Strathmore, and took them aboard on the 22nd of January, and on the 26th transferred twenty to the Sierra Momena. The latter arrived at Galle and landed the unfortunates.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 24.—A few days ago the Kern Valley Bank at Bakersville was robbed of about $2,500. The cashier was found gagged and insensible in the office in the morning. Detectives from this city have been working up the case, and have arrested the cashier, charging him with complicity in the robbery.

SAN BUENVENTURA, Feb. 25.—The steamship Kalorama parted her lines near the wharf at this place this afternoon about 3 o'clock, and, owing to her propeller becoming entangled by one of her ropes, she drifted ashore about half a mile below the wharf Now, at 6 p. m. she is breaking, and will probably be a total wreck. A heavy wind and high sea have been prevailing all day, but have now abated.

Dominion Mail to Feb. 12.

[PER STEAMSHIP CITY OF PANAMA.]

"Grip's" last cartoon has a sharp hit on legalizing the liquor traffic. The central figure in the shape of a large bottle is just handing the Minister of Finance the "Revenue from the liquor trade, being the price of 7,000 lives yearly." In the other hand he holds a paper with the words "7,000 persons perish through drink in Canada yearly," and upon this the Dominion Premier is looking with an anxious gaze. The figure then reminds the Premier, "In your population policy, don't fail to provide for MY annual allowance of 7,000 souls. See, I pay for them!"

The decision of the British Columbia Legislature to refuse the offered $750,000, and appeal to the Imperial Government, gives a new turn to matters. Any attempt of the Imperial Government to dictate terms would be resented by the Dominion.—"London Adv."

Mr. Henri F. Rainville, who has been appointed a Judge of the Superior Court of Quebec 'vice' Beaudry, deceased, is said to be an able lawyer. He is not more than thirty-seven years of age.

Hon. Charles S. Rodier, a member of the Quebec Legislative Council and Mayor of Montreal for four successive terms, died in that city on Friday. He was also a Commissioner to settle the losses arising out of the rebellion of 1837-38.

NEW GOODS AT ALBION HOUSE.—Received by this steamer, Jouvin kid gloves in all sizes; ladies fancy silk ties and scarfs in beautiful variety; ruchings; new shawls; silk and moire sashes; embroidered edgings; braiding and floss silks; colored sarsnets; flowers; corsets; alpacas; meriros; Russel cords; blue and other flannels and wool shirtings; gentlemen's underclothing and hosiery; umbrellas, &c., &c., and an assortment of general goods. Special attention is directed to a fine line of black silks bought exceptionally low, and will be sold cheap.

A. B. GRAY & Co., Government Street,
February 16th, 1876. * * *

WM. HAYNES, Professor of Music,—Processions, Balls, Private Parties, etc., furnished. Orders left at M. R. Smith's, Victoria Bakery, Fort street, will receive prompt attention. *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province. * *

New Advertisements.

Insolvent Act of 1875.

In the matter of John Herdman, an Insolvent.

I THE UNDERSIGNED, C. T. DUPONT, of the City of Victoria, have been appointed Assignee in this matter.

Creditors are requested to file their claims before me within one month.

C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, Feb. 29th 1876. mh1

Testimonial to Dr. James.

VICTORIA, February 25th, 1876.

To Dr. James, Pandora street.

DEAR SIR:—I beg to state that I have been a very great sufferer from Rheumatic Pains for the last three or four years, so much so that I have lost much time and thousands of dollars (being an old miner) by not being able to work, and I am now happy to say, by being under your treatment for a short time, my pains have all gone. I consider it an excellent cure, for which I beg your acceptance of one hundred dollars. JOHN DAVIES,
Rae street.

Dr. James does not attend to smallpox patients.
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Baynes Sound Colliery Company, Limited.

TRAMWAY.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the abovenamed Company up to Noon on FRIDAY, the 31st inst., for constructing a Narrow Gauge Tramway over the Company's Lands at Baynes Sound, 10 miles S. E. of Comox, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the Company's Office, Langley street, Victoria.

WHARF.

ALSO—Sealed Tenders for constructing a Wharf at the same place, according to plans and specifications at the Company's office.

MINE.

ALSO—Tenders for Driving a Tunnel through Sandstone a distance of not less than 200 feet, at so much per lineal yard or foot, according to specifications at Company's office.

Party contracting to furnish Tools, Powder and Lights.

Tenders to be separate for the several works, and endorsed Tramway, Wharf or Tunnel, as the case may be.

Security for the due performance of the work will be required.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order of the Board,
HERBERT GASTON, Secty pro. tem.
Victoria, 1st March, 1876. mh1

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

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THE STEAMSHIP

CITY OF PANAMA

CAPTAIN - - - - - - - SEABURY.

Having very Superior Accommodation

Will leave for San Francisco

On Saturday, March 4th,

AT 1 O'CLOCK, P. M.

For Freight or Passage apply to

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THE O. S. S. CO'S STEAMSHIP

CALIFORNIA,

CAPT. JOHN HAYES,

Will leave for Fort Wrangel and Sitka on or about

WEDNESDAY, the 8th March.

For Passage, Freight and Stock apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent O.S.S.Co
fe17 Office at Engelhardt & Co's.

Victoria District Ploughing Match.

ALL PARTIES INTERESTED IN THIS event are requested to meet at the Swan Lake Hotel on Saturday, March 4th, to appoint a day for the Match and select a Committee of Management.
fe29

Farm at Chilliwhack for Sale.

A FARM SITUATED ON THE SUMAS side of the Chilliwhack river, containing 200 acres of Prairie Land, partly fenced, with Barn and House. For further particulars apply to
MR. CHAS. CONLEY, Victoria.
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ROYAL OAK INN.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS LEASED THE above popular establishment at the junction of East and West Saanich Roads, and will open on Tuesday, Feb 29th, 1876, with

Best Wines and Liquors.

Good Beds and Accommodation for Travellers.
fe29 1mdw ALPHONSE VERDIER.

NOTICE.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION AT the City Pound, Yates street, on 1st March, 1875, at 12 o'clock, noon, unless previously redeemed.

1 Red Cow, white belly, ears cut short.
1 Red Cow, red and white tail, ears cut short.
1 Red and White Heifer, ears cut short, about two years old.

J. DEWSN. P,
fe27 City Poundkeeper.

THEATRE ROYAL.

SEASON OF THREE NIGHTS!

Commencing Thursday Eve, March 2

VIVIAN AND KOHLER

MUSICAL & HUMOROUS

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This Company includes the following acknowledged Artists:

Mrs. R. M. BLAKE,

The popular Contralto, in a choice selection of vocal Gems.

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MR WALTER CAMPBELL,

The celebrated basso profundo.

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The eminent Pianist and Violincellist.

Dress Circle and Parquette, $1; Pit, 50 cents; Children, 50 cents.

Reserved Seats can be sec red two days in advance without extra charge, at the box office of Theatre from 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

CHAS. M. ATKINS,
fe27 Business Manager.

Ships and Steamers.

NOTICE.

NEITHER THE MASTER NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the bark Beulah.

SPROAT & Co., Consignees.
Victoria, 4th Feb., 1876 fe5

FOR THE CASSIAR MINES!

THE STEAMER

ISABEL,

Will sail from Engelhardt & Co's Wharf on or about

Thursday the 24th February.

For Freight or Passage apply to the Captain on board, or to
fe16 L. M. STARR.

NOTICE.

NEITHER THE MASTER NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the bark Aboyne.

SPROAT & CO., Consignees.
Victoria, 2d February, 1876 fe4

BARK LADY LAMPSON.

NEITHER CAPTAIN GAUDIN NOR THE Hudson's Bay Company will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel. For the Hudson Bay Co.

ja28 WM. CHARLES.

NOTICE—Bark Aboyne.

CONSIGNEES ARE REQUESTED TO call at the office of the undersigned, Wharf St., pay freight and receive orders for their goods, and sign a general average bond.

All goods left on Engelhardt & Co's wharf after 5 o'clock p m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

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THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Winter Arrangement.

THE FIRST-CLASS IRON STEAMSHIP 1500 tons

CITY OF PANAMA,

Will sail for San Francisco at 1 o'clock p. m. on the *3rd and *18th of each month.

For Victoria, Port Townsend, Seattle and Tacoma, connecting with Northern Pacific R. R. for Portland and steamers for Olympia, on the 14th and 29th.

RETURNING:

Leave San Francisco on the 10th and 25th.

Leave Tacoma on the 15th and 30th for Seattle, Port Townsend, Victoria and San Francisco.

*NOTE—When the sailing day comes on SUNDAY the sailing day will be MONDAY, on arrival of mail steamer from Puget Sound.

HENRY RHODES & CO., Agents.
Store st., Victoria.
de28 OTIS FREEMAN, Travelling Agent.

Notice to Mariners.

No. 83 of 1875.

VICTORIA, B. C., HARBOUR LIGHT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A Lighthouse, erected by the Government of Canada on Berens Island, western shore of entrance to Victoria Harbour, Vancouver's Island, British Columbia, will be put in operation on the 1st March next.

Lat. 48 deg. 25 min. 24 sec. N.
Long. 123 deg. 20 min. 0 sec. W.

The building is a square wooden tower 30 feet high from base to vane, with a dwelling attached, and is painted white.

The light is a fixed BLUE one, elevated 44 feet above high water, and in clear weather should be seen a distance of 6 or 7 miles.

The light is intended as an harbour light and bears N.N.W. ½ W. magnetic from the bell buoy on Brotchie Ledge.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy Minister of Marine, &c.
Department of Marine and Fisheries,
Ottawa 27th December, 1875. fe1

GRAND RAFFLE.

AT THE METROPOLITAN RESTAURANT, Government street, on Saturday, March 4th, 1876, at 8 p. m.

300 CHANCES at $5 EACH.

1. Silver Tea Set, cost £60.
2. Antique Onyx Ring, valued at £84.
3. Grand Piano, by B. Schotts & Son, Mainz.
4. Silver Mounted Dressing Case, cost £23.
5. Silver Salver.
6. Set 3 Decanter Stands.
7. Pair Silver Candlesticks.
8. Set 4 Carbuncle Studs.
9. Carbuncle Pin.
10. E. P. Toast Rack.

The eight Highest Throws to have the first eight picks; the Lowest Throw the 9th pick, and the lowest but one the remaining Prize.

TICKETS at the Metropolitan. fe26

FOR SALE.

A SHORTHORN DURHAM WELL-BRED Milch Cow, color red, age between 4 & 5 years, one of the best bred cows on the Island, calve in April. Terms reasonable.

Also—One spring Wagon. Enquire of
PARIS CARTER,
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FOR SALE.

SCOTCH-CANADIAN PLOWS AT REDUCED Prices, at
W. A. ROBERTSON'S,
fe24 Douglas and Pembroke St.

Royal Hospital.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SUBSCRIBERS will be held at the Council Chambers on Thursday next the 2d March at 4 o'clock p m.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
fe27 Hon. Secty.

PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE.

MRS. J. S. RONAYNE BEGS TO ANnounce to the people of Victoria that she has purchased the business of the Private Boarding House

On Fort Street, two doors from Douglas,

Known as Mrs. Abrahams'. All favoring her with their patronage will find all the comforts of a home with the best accommodation at the LOWEST TERMS. fe20 3m

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Coal Mining Shares — Baynes Sound Colliery Company, Limited.

77 SHARES OF $100 EACH, ON WHICH $270 (about $35 00 per share) has been paid up, are offered for sale together or in lots

These shares were taken by the late Capt. Parsons a few days before his death and must be sold to wind up his estate. The greater portion of the Company's shares are held by a few leading business men as a permanent investment, and it is expected that the Company will commence shipping coal within a few months.

Tenders may be addressed to
MR. EDWIN JOHNSON,
fe19 1mdw Barrister-at-law, Victoria.

FRESH AGRICULTURAL GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS!

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Also, a Fine Assortment of

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And every requisite pertaining to the Seed and Nursery business.

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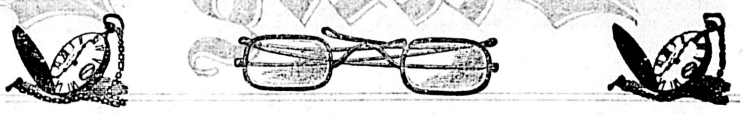

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YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED.

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Gun & Rifle Maker,

FORT ST., opp. Scotch House,

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

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FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

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A FEW PRIVATE BOARDERS—FIRST-class accommodation guaranteed

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A CHIEF OFFICER FOR THE BARK Harrison.

Apply to the Captain on board at Burrard Inlet or to
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ANY PERSON DESIROUS OF RENTING a Restaurant and Boarding House. For particulars will apply at the GLOBE INN,
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FOR SALE ONE DOLLAR PER DOZEN by
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Y. M. C. Association Reading Room.

THE READING ROOM IN CONNECTION with the above institution is now opened to the public from 10 a. m. till 10 p. m. Local and other newspapers, fe23

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Choice Brands of

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Will sell his present stock of

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Albums & Miscellaneous Stationery,

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LARGE REDUCTION IN PRICE,

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Daily British Colonist

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 1st, 1876.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Feb. 29—str City of Panama, San Francisco

sch O. Stevens, Burrard Inlet

CLEARED.

Feb. 29—str City of Panama, Pt Townsend

str Beaver, Nanaimo

sch O. Stevens, Sooke

MARRIED.

On the 28th inst, by the Rev. Mr. Russ, Wm. Eddy Williams to Ann Elizabeth Wilson Woods, both of this city.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before His Worship the Mayor.]

TUESDAY, Feb. 29.

George Bohn, charged with being a vagrant, was sentenced to two weeks' hard labor.

William Lovett, charged with being drunk and disorderly and with creating a disturbance at the American Hotel, was discharged with a caution.

Robert Johnson, on remand charged with being a vagrant, failed to answer to his name, and a warrant was issued for his apprehension.

DIPTHERIA.—From all parts of the country we hear of the ravages of diphtheria. In some cases whole families have fallen victims to this dread disease. It is important that all persons, especially parents, should understand what are the first symptoms, and take prompt and efficient measures for relief. An attack of diphtheria usually commences with high fever and a headache, and in children with nausea and vomiting. There is great prostration. Upon the tonsils and surrounding parts are seen white, snow-flaky patches. In malignant cases the patches are often yellow or brownish, and a fetid odor is perceived. A good physician should be immediately summoned when these symptoms are noticed. Chlorate of potash gargles and pounded ice are useful until he arrives. Many physidians have found a successful remedy in the use of permanganate of potash in conjunction with the tincture of belladonna.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS. — The steamer Enterprise sailed at 7 o'clock yesterday morning for New Westminster with about a dozen passengers, amongst whom were Messrs. E. Brown, M. P. P., J. Kinsman, and A. Mouatt. . . The steamer Maude left at the same hour for Nanaimo with Sir Matthew Bailie Begbie, Messrs. Chantrell, Abrams, Habart and several others on board. . . . The North Pacific sailed at 10 a. m. for Puget Sound with a few passengers, and will return to-morrow.

IN three months ending Dec. 1st, 1875, the exports of British Columbia exceed those of the last quarter of 1874 by $25,890. There was a decrease in every commodity except gold, but in gold bars and dust there was a great increase. Coal, canned salmon, lumber, furs, hides, wool, hops and cranberries make up the list of principal exports, which for the last quarter of 1875 footed up to $938,400.—*London Adv.*

THE imports of foreign goods at Toronto fell off last year to the extent of over three million dollars, or a little over twenty-one per cent. The chief reduction was in dry goods. Staple groceries held their own, but iron has been less freely imported than in 1874. Dry goods importers had done the greatest harm by pushing business too fast, and it was quite proper that the most noticeable retrenchment should be in their line.—*London Adv.*

WE have received from Mr W. H. Marcon, Seed Merchant, Guelph, Canada, his Illustrated Seed Catalogue and Guide for 1876. It is very neatly got up and we would recommend our readers who are in want of fresh, reliable seeds to send for a copy. Mr. Marcon's reputation as a Seedsman stands high as shown by the many testimonials received by him. We notice that he is also manufacturing bone-dust for manures.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.—We have received from Dawson Brothers, publishers, Montreal, "Daniel Deronda," book 1, George Eliot's new novel; and a pamphlet stating the reasons why "a Roman Catholic cannot accept the doctrine of Papal Infallibility." Both are works that challenge public attention in England and the East at this moment.

REDUCTION.—It is reported that the Government are about to introduce important economies into every branch of the public service. The system of road bosses inaugurated at the Land Office is supposed to have cost the country last year more than $20,000, and the leaks caused by the stationing of Government Agents in out-of-the-way places, are said to be frightful.

BRITISH COLUMBIANS RETURNED.— The steamship City of Panama brings back to our midst a number of British Columbias who have either been East or visiting in California. Amongst them we notice Mr. and Mrs. William Charles, Miss Bunster, Mr. James McAllister, Mr. J. Burns, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson.

THE annual meeting of subscribers to the Royal Hospital will be held to-morrow at 4 o'clock p.m. at the City Council Chambers. A committee will be elected and other important business transacted.

THE worthy British Columbian M.P.P. who moved in his little legislature a preamble pointing to secession from the Dominion didn't get a seconder.—*London Adv.*

THE WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST is now ready. It is brimful of interesting reading matter and is the largest paper in the Province.

A FINE HORSE, property of Mr. Roderick Finlayson, fell dead yesterday afternoon on Fort street.

THE steamship City of Panama will sail for San Francisco at 1 o'clock p. m. on Saturday.

VICTORIA LIGHT.—The light at the entrance of Victoria harbor will be lighted for the first time to-night.

THE terific southeaster of yesterday was a forerunner of March—a gentle reminder.

Vivian.

To-morrow evening Vivian the Great, the man of plastic face, will appear at Theatre Royal. His programme has already been placed before the public and from it there can be no other inference drawn than that the proposed series of entertainments will be most successful. As for Vivian himself we understand that his mutability of countenance has not at all diminished since his last visit here, but has, if possible, increased almost to absurdity In Mr. Campbell, Victoria will be introduced for a second time to a basso profundo of no ordinary merit, and one who has already established himself a favorite here. In Mr. Kohler, too, we expect to witness something wonderful in the musical sphere, whilst to Mrs. Blake and Prof Waud there can be no doubt that the appreciation of all Victoria will be readily given. The box office will be open at Theatre Royal to-day as usual—no extra charge being made for the reservation of seats.

CHANGED.—The name of the ship Nation's Hope has been changed to Frank Austin, after Capt. Austin, one of her owners. She will be ready for sea in a few days.

FOR THE SOUND. — The steamship City of Panama sailed from Esquimalt for the Sound at 2 p. m. yesterday and will return to-morrow evening.

DR. JACKSON wishes the public to be informed that he is not in attendance on small-pox patients.

YESTERDAY was one day in fourteen hundred and sixty—the 29th of February.

DREDGING.—The work of harbor-dredging will be resumed in a day or two.

THE steamship California is overdue from the North at this port.

THE City Council will meet this evening.

THE girls' school (public) will be closed for a fortnight.

THE mails for the South per City of Panama will close at noon on Saturday.

Our Ministerial Crisis.

[Toronto Globe (Reform)].

Mr. Walkem and his colleagues no longer rule in British Columbia. In this, as in other matters, they appear to have acted with very little consideration, and to have relied more for popularity on a certain high handed style of dealing with the grave subject than on a sober minded sensible policy. They evidently rejected the offer of the Canadian Government before they had fully understood the dispatch in which it was conveyed. They are not much, perhaps, to be blamed for the mis-reading, because, as we noticed at the time, there was a little obscurity which led others into error. But before the final reply was sent off they had ample opportunity to learn precisely what was intended, namely, that the offer of $750,000 was offered as compensation for the non construction of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo line only. Had they not been in such a hurry to telegraph their refusal they would hardly have been compelled to found their argument against accepting the offer on false premises, or jumped to the conclusion that it was made in view of the indefinite postponement of the construction of the main Pacific line. Once committed, they of course had to stand to it, and so to place themselves once more in a position of antagonism, instead of friendly negotiation.

The final conclusion they come to is that 'Lord Carnarvon's settlement,' as they call it, shall be rigidly adhered to. They say, 'The Committee of Council urge that the terms of Lord Carnarvon's settlement be strictly carried out, and they strongly protest against their violation by the Dominion Government.' But then 'Lord Carnarvon's settlement' was contingent on the assent of the Parliament of Canada, and that assent, so far as the Island Railway was concerned, was refused. In the House the Government could control, they carried their measures, but the Senate, with coordinate powers, rejected it. Mr Mackenzie cannot coerce the Senate, Lord Carnarvon cannot coerce the Senate, so what is the use of declaring that 'Lord Carnarvon's settlement' shall be 'strictly carried out?' The question was eminently one for compromise, and compromise in one form or other must be arrived at if British Columbia is to be regarded at all. We have never held that because British Columbia may be weak, she should be trifled with, or that because she was governed by rather unreasonable people she should get less than justice. But it will be well for the British Columbians to ponder a little over the situation. The more the original contract is considered the more atrociously reckless do its terms appear—the more the real difficulties of the work of constructing the Pacific Railway are discovered the more outrageous do the terms of union appear. Whilst we do not agree with the ultimate conclusion of a writer in yesterday's 'Globe' signing himself 'Tete Jaune Cache,' there is great force in his reasoning, and much to cause reflection in his description of the state of the country at the time of and since the Union. The Pacific Railroad will have to be built as a national enterprise; it would have been necessary at some time or other to build it as a national enterprise, but the union with British Columbia was not a profitable bargain on such terms as were made. If the Pacific Railroad were dropped out of sight British Columbia would have made a fine bargain for herself. It does not follow, we repeat, that her demands should be ignored or slighted, but it does follow that a Ministry depending for its support and existence upon public opinion, as does the Government of Canada, should be able to justify its every action to the people of the Dominion, and they can only justify that which commends itself to common sense and the public interest. We hope that this view will be taken by the new British Columbian Administration; that they are men who will rise out of the mere local popularity-hunting mood, and approaching this question as Canadians as well as British Columbians, be able at one and the same time io secure justice for British Columbia and promote the welfare of the whole Dominion.

[Ottawa Citizen, (Conservative.)]

A telegram from British Columbia brings information that Mr. Walkem's Government has been defeated by a majority of 2 on a motion of non-confidence—the vote standing, yeas, 13; nays, 11. It would seem that the resolution introduced was one condemning the Local Administration for pledging certain subsidies to the Dominion Government, to which the Province was entitled from the Ottawa Government for certain loans and advances made. The Local Government is charged with squandering this money and using it in such a manner as to exceed their powers. If this be the case the verdict of the House is a righteous one—and will be a warning not only to future British Columbia Premiers, but also to the heads of other administrations not very far from the seat of the central Administration of the Dominion. The new Government that may be formed must comprise those who approve of the policy of the late Government in refusing the $750,000 subsidy offered by Mr. Mackenzie; but it is to be hoped that some method may be adopted of a nature calculated to settle this vexed question of the Pacific Railroad. The Dominion has to face other questions of paramount importance, and the best minds of the country must be prepared to bring about such a compromise as will enable Ministers to turn their attention to other great public questions and great national interests.

[Toronto Globe, Feb. 2.]

The result we anticipated would ensue upon the meeting of the British Columbia Legislature has been realized. Ever since the elections the friends of the Walkem Administration have been loudly proclaiming that, notwithstanding the very strong expression of opinion against them at the polls, the House when it assembled would still support them with a considerable majority. But a vote directly censuring their financial policy has been carried in a full House, and we assume by this time they have ceased as a Government to hold office.

The information previously received may have induced some persons to mistake the position of affairs. It was, however, quite possible for agreement to exist as to the amount of compensation in lieu of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway by the Dominion Government, while very strong objections were, at the same time, held to other matters of Government policy. Or, what we think is more probable, the Opposition may have preferred to choose some purely domestic question to try their strength upon, rather than peril their unity and cohesion upon issues calculated to involve so many conflicting interests as the substitute for the item in the new terms, between the Dominion and the Province, which the Senate rejected.

Mr. Walkem's Government, it appears, while—as in the case of their treatment of Mr. Elgar—at times assuming a hostile attitude towards the Government of Canada, have been, nevertheless, gradually involving the Province in a debt to the Dominion on the security of the annual subsidy payable to the former, and this debt now amounts to between four and five hundred thousand dollars. That circumstance, doubtless, has been regarded in the Province as calculated to cripple the independent action of the Local Government, and to place them at a disadvantage in conducting those negotiations which have been rendered necessary by the delays in the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Considering the extraordinary liberal arrangements made between the Local and Federal Governments in the interest of the former, when the Union was accomplished, the aspect the present situation presents certainly does not convey the idea of thrift and good management.

That, however, is a matter that concerns the British Columbians alone. What their fellow-countrymen in the other Provinces are most interested in is the construction of a Government capable of maintaining the just rights of the Province without making unavoidable, if regrettable, difficulties the ground for indulging either in displays of bad temper or suspicions of bad faith. The course pursued by Mr. Mackenzie since he has been in power has been one to the utmost conciliatory. We have no doubt that is the spirit in which any future representations will be met. But the new Ministry, if a change has occurred, will do well to recollect that as no one was bound to achieve impossibilities, so public opinion in Canada will not support any Government in conceding to British Columbia a larger measure of justice than the circumstances warrant; and it would be well for anyone henceforth deputed to speak in the name of that Province simply to regard and act towards the Dominion as a friend and ally, with a common purpose, in the accomplishment of which both have an equal interest.

SEASONABLE.—Daily Journals, Pocket and Office Diaries for 1876.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

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EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—The women hereabout are going among the employers to have them pay their workmen on Mondays instead of Saturdays in order to lessen Saturday night and Sunday drunkenness.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 28.—It is estimated on reliable data that the loss by burning of the steamer Mary Bell, at Vicksburg, yesterday, will reach over half a million dollars. There were a large number of passengers with valuable baggage.

A report of the tornado from Princetown, Indiana, states that eight persons were dangerously injured, 3 of whom are not expected to recover. Over fifty houses totally demolished, and about fifty more badly damaged in the track of the storm. It is impossible to distinguish the streets or former location of residences. Everything is prostrated and spread over the ground. Saveral persons were taken from under the wreck of their dwellings unharmed. To-day one family found themselves walking on the ceiling of their rooms, their house having been inverted, yet they escaped unharmed. Those who attempted to escape were injured.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Gold closed at 14.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 28.—After seven and a half hours' debate Wiltz moved the adoption of the report of the majority of the committee appointed to investigate charges against Gov. Kellogg with resolutions accompanying the report recommending that articles of impeachment be prepared against him for high crimes and misdemeanors. Ayes and noes were called. Mr. Stafford and other members of the House asked to explain their votes when their names were called. The majority report and the resolutions accompanying the same were adopted by a vote of 61 yeas to 45 nays.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The Bill reported favorably from the Senate Committee on Civil Service and Retrenchment to-day in regard to the President's salary provides that from and after March, 1877, it shall be fixed at $25,000 per annum.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN QUENTIN, Cal., Feb. 28.—The workshops at the State Prison were burned about 4 p.m. The estimated loss is about $75,000; no insurance. Great excitement prevailed among the prisoners. All are safe. The building was supposed to have been set on fire by the prisoners in the attic of the paint department. The prison is heavily guarded to-night.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—In the House of Commons this evening, Mr. Biggar, member for County Cavan, Ireland, asked the Government whether the law prohibiting members of Parliament from being, at the same time, Government contractors was still in force, and whether the law in question applies to the Suez Canal transactions, and whether the Government is prepared to enforce it in regard to Sir Nathaniel Mayer D. Rothschild? Disraeli, in reply, said the question belongs to the Court and not to the House of Commons.

Sir Nathaniel Rothschild declared he was not a partner in the house of Rothschild.

Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, member for Christ Church, having asked a question in regard to the army organization of Egypt, Bourke, one of the Under Secretaries for the Foreign Department, replied, informing Mr. Wolff that the Russian General Fadieff would reorganize the Khedive army not as a war minister. Bourke replied to the question asked by Parnall, member for Meath, stating that the Government had received no communication from the Government of the United States regarding Edward O'Meagher Condon. Condon was not imprisoned at Spike Island, near Queenstown, nor had he ever been handcuffed or chained.

The Marquis of Hamilton questioned the Government in regard to the Strath Clyde disaster. Sir C. B. Adderly, President of the Board of Trade, in reply, said inquiries respecting the Strath Clyde must be postponed until the close of the criminal proceedings against the captain of the Franconia.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Yesterday evening the steamer Hartington, while on her way from London to Rouen, struck the mast of the steamer Stratchclyde recently sunk in the channel and sank in fifteen minutes. All on board were saved.

A special says Con Carlos has crossed the frontier and taken refuge in France.

BAYONNE, Feb. 28.—Don Carlos, with about 2000 men, is now at Ravovoux, very near the French border. It is believed he will enter France today. The chief members of the Carlist Provincial Councils have taken leave of him and sought refuge on French territory.

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English Mail.

[PER STEAMSHIP CITY OF PANAMA]

Cabmen are so frequently charged with light-hearted, or, as the reports usually term it, "reckless driving," that when a case occurs tending to show that they have not an entire monopoly of the practice, it is only fair to record it. Such a case occurred in Dublin a short time ago, when a Mrs. Gavin was charged with carelessly driving a pony and croydon over an old man, described as a "corporation scavenger." The policeman who opened the case deposed that seeing the crowd, he first addressed the sufferer, who told him "that the woman had killed him." Feeling that it was hopeless to expect any further evidence from a dead man, he turned to the lady and asked her why she had killed the last speaker. Her answer was frank—"that she had driven over the man as he had stopped in the way and would not stir;" and, subsequently, before the magistrate, she put in the additional plea that "he was an old fellow that should not be allowed out in the streets." This, the magistrate, with praiseworthy decision, said, "was no reason why she should drive over him.' Beaten on the point of age, Mrs. Gavin tried another plea, by asking, "And if he was deaf, what could I do?" But even the deafness the magistrate declined to admit as justification, remarking that "in any case she should not have driven over him." The lady was ultimately remanded for a week, until the "deceased," whose arm was unfortunately broken, could be reduced; and her husband, who with enthusiasm stated "he was ready to go bail in all he was worth for her, or more if necessary," was accepted as bail for her appearance.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society, the Earl of Lichfield affirmed that it was fallacious to say drunkenness was the root of all evil, for, while in Staffordshire it had increased 300 per cent. during the year, serious crimes had diminished 30 per cent. The Bishop of Lichfield disputed this reasoning, and said that drunkenness was eating up the vitality of religion and the the life and industry of the nation. It could not longer be winked at, and Parliament must interfere to preserve the country.

It is understood to be the intention of the Government to place Simon's Bay, Cape of Good Hope, in a complete state of defence, by the erection of forts and batteries at various points along the coast.

It is stated that the steps which have been in progress for the last 20 years for the purpose of amalgamating the ministry and laity of the United Presbyterian Churches with the English Presbyterian Church have been crowned with complete success, and that in a very short time the bodies alluded to will work conjointly and have common interests. It is also said that the two bodies have agreed to hold a series of special prayer meetings in the course of next month.

London is estimated by the Registrar-General to contain nearly three millions and a half of people, or rather more than the aggregate population of nineteen of the largest provincial town.

The Government of New Zealand has addressed a dispatch to the Agent-General for the colony, Mr. J. E. Featherston, informing him that the Government have conferred upon him the "decorative distinction" of the "New Zealand Cross" for the acts of distinguished courage in the field during the various wars with the Maori tribes.

At a meeting of clergy held at Truro on Saturday it was announced that the Home Secretary has promised to introduce a measure for the purpose of erecting Cornwall into a separate bishopric, provided £30,000 are immediately raised to provide it with £1,000 a year, in addition to £1,200 a year promised by a layman, and the £800 a year to begranted by the Bishop of Exeter.

The Right Rev. Dr. Ryan, Roman Catholic bishop, having ordered the removal to another parish of the Rev. Edward O'Shaughnessy, parish priest of Milltown, Mallory, under circumstances of a peculiar nature, a large meeting of the parishioners has been held to protest against the action of the bishop. It was resolved, "That in the event of the bishop of this diocese appointing a parish priest, we pay him neither Christmas nor Easter dues;" and also, "That a copy of this resolution be telegraphed to the bishop, and that a deputation of the parishioners be appointed to meet the bishop at Killalœ to remonstrate with him on his present course of action." The rev. gentleman was present at a later stage of the proceedings, and counselled moderation and obedience to the bishop in any of his decisions.

A collision of three trains, with a serious loss of life, occurred on the main line of the Great Northern Railway, at the Abbot's Ripton Station, about six miles north of Huntingdon. The atmosphere had been thick all day in the neighborhood of Huntington, and as evening closed in a blinding storm came on, covering the district for many miles with a thick coating of snow. The snow fell so heavily that the railway signals were observed with great difficulty. An ordinary up coal train, consisting of thirty trucks, drawn by a powerful goods engine, left Peterborough at the usual hour, and had arrived at the Abbot's Ripton station. There is a crossing here, and the signalman knowing that the Scotch up-express leaving Edinburgh, was nearly due, desired the driver in charge of the coal train to shunt into a siding so as to allow the express to run through. About twenty five of the coal trucks had passed into the siding, when the rear of the Scotch express train approaching was heard from the direction of Peterborough and the next instant the coal train was struck by the Scotch engine.

The effect of this collision was to completely block both the up and down rails. The leading carriages of the express were much shattered and many of their inmates seriously injured. There was scarcely time for the passengers who were uninjured to alight from the express and while attempts to extricate the wounded were being organized, the down Leeds express, leaving King's cross and driven by Wilson, an experienced Great Northern engineer, having run past Huntingdon without any warning of danger, came rushing on through the snowstorm and in a few seconds ran directly into the debris of the two trains already wrecked, increasing the confusion already prevailing and almost paralyzing all efforts. Up to this moment only imperfect information had reached London. But it may be stated that eleven persons have been killed and many others seriously injured. One young man among the dead is dressed in a midshipman's uniform. He was on his way to the training-ship Britannia at Dartmouth.

His Excellency the Russian Ambassador, Count Schouvaloff; Lord Colville, a director of the Great Northern Railway; Mr. Cleghorn, a director of the North-eastern Railway; and Thomas Harrison, late President of the Institute of Civil Engineers, were passengers in the up-train. Mr. Cleghorn's left arm is fractured.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

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[L.S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.
To all to whom these presents shall come—Greeting.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney General. WHEREAS it is expedient to change the place for the nomination of Candidates for Election to the Legislative Assembly in the Electoral District of Yale, and to alter the Polling place in the Polling Division of Lake, in the Electoral District of Victoria District, from Stevens' Hotel to the School House, near the "Royal Oak" Inn.
NOW KNOW YE that by virtue of the authorities contained in the "Election Regulation Act, 1871," and the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1875," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council hereby proclaims and appoints that the place for the nomination of Candidates for Election to the Legislative Assembly, for the Electoral District of Yale, shall be at the Court House, Kamloops, instead of at the School House, Cache Creek, as heretofore; and that the Polling place for the Polling Division of Lake, in the Electoral district of Victoria District, shall be at the School House, near the "Royal Oak" Inn, instead of at Stevens' Hotel, as heretofore.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Fourth day of February, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and in the thirty-ninth year of Our Reign.
By Command,
CHARLES GOOD,
Deputy Provincial Secretary. fe13dw

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A list of all persons liable to pay Road Tax in the District of South Cowichan for the year 1876, has been posted at Harris' Landing, Cowichan Bay, copies of which are deposited in the office of Mr. Morley, Maple Bay.
JOHN MORLEY,
Assessor and Collector.
Maple Bay, Feb. 1st, 1876. fe13dw

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
4th February, 1875.
HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint JOHN USSHER, Esq., to be Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Yale, vice J. Campbell, Esq., whose appointment has been cancelled. fe13

TO THE ELECTORS OF YALE-LYTTON DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—Having been called into the Ministry formed by Mr. Elliott, and having been entrusted with the administration of one of the most important departments in the Government, that of Lands and Works, I now come back to obtain your sanction.
It has long been acknowledged that the Yale Lytton District has become of such extent and importance as to entitle it to be represented in the Cabinet, and I trust that my conduct during the brief period I have had the honor to represent you has been such as to meet with your approbation.
The duties connected with the department committed to my care render it impossible for me to personally visit you at this time, as I should have wished to do; and I must, therefore, claim your indulgence and rely, as I unhesitatingly do, upon receiving at your hands a renewal of that confidence already reposed in me.
FORBES GEO. VERNON.
Victoria, B. C., Feb. 14, 1876. fe15dw

NOTICE.

JOHN JOHNSON HAVING PERMANENTLY located in Victoria, for the past 16 years worked in different
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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Statement of Cash Receipts & Disbursements from 1st January to 31st December, 1875.

RECEIPTS.	ARREARS	ASSES'MT 1875.	
Trades Licenses $	265 00	9,722 50	9,987 50
Road Tax	78 00	2,041 49	2,119 49
Real Estate Tax	482 45	20,823 96	21,306 41
Wholesale Liquor Licens's	50 00	775 00	825 00
Retail do do		11,280 00	11,280 00
Auctioneers' 1½ Pct. Tax		1,114 01	1,114 01
Billiard Tables do		125 00	125 00
Theatre and Circus do		382 50	382 50
	875 45	46,264 46	47,139 91
Recapitulation Revenue—			
Arrears		875 45	
Rev. Collected (Asst. 1875)		46,264 46	
			47,139 91
Thistles Acct			24 00
Fire & Fire Ins Rates—			
Fire Rate	104 09		
Fire Ins. Rate	4,579 90		
			4,683 99
City Pound			424 75
City Police, etc			335 00
Rents—			
Tenements (Lot 1249)	18 50		
House at Spring Ridge	10 00		28 50
Street Repairs			2 50
Surveying Expenses			6 00
Quarantine—			
Refund Capt. Sholl			20 00
Indian Com'r Refund			50 00
Victoria Water Works—			
Special Loan Acct	10,000 00		
Interest Acct	141 67		
			10,141 67
Loan Acct	3,834 00		3,834 00
Bank B.N.A.—			
Cr. Bal. to 1st Jan. '75	2,015 00		
do 31st Dec '75	3,896 33		
Amount by which balance has been increased			1,881 33
Cash Bal. 1st Jan., 1775			438 49
			69,010 14

DISBURSEMENTS.		
Street Repairs	$11,717 51	
Surveying Expenses	1,450 00	
		13,167 50
Victoria Water Works—		
Special Loan Account	10,000 00	
Interest	141 67	
		10,141 67
Loan Account		3,611 00
Interest and Sinking Fund		11,530 00
Street Lighting		2,271 32
Victoria Fire Department		3,450 00
City Police		8,008 75
Quarantine		2,471 78
Provincial Government		4,222 00
Donations		1,107 08
Sewerage		763 85
City Pound		372 47
Legal Expenses		776 50
Refunds Acct., Trades License Acct		250 00
House at Spring Ridge		389 28
Commissions		179 50
Thistles		60 00
B.B.N.A., Interest on Overdrafts		163 66
Indian Com'r., advance on Quarantine Acct		50 00
City Hall Designs		50 00
Office Furniture		86 75
City Police Boat		15 25
Charges—Salaries	3,470 00	
Rent	240 00	
Printing & Stationery	1,002 87	
Auditing Accounts	79 17	
Fuel & Miscel's Exp.	376 00	
Election Expenses	148 75	
		5,316 79
Cash Balance 31st December		560
		$69,010

I certify the above to be a correct Cash Statement as shown by the Books of the Corporation to the 31st December 1875.
W. C. SIFFKEN, Auditor.
VICTORIA, January 26th, 1876.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at 31st December, 1875.

ASSETS.		
Cash on hand 31st Dec., 1875 $	24 00	
	560 98	
	75 60	
		660 58
Amount Taxes Account to be collected, as shown by Asst Rolls 1874-5		5,801 64
Real Estate Account—		
Lots 1249, 1250	5,100 00	
Spring Ridge Property and House	3,553 83	
City Pound and Impt's	924 87	
		9,578 70
Office Furniture, etc		633 02
		$16,673 94
Balance $		3,019 13

LIABILITIES.		
Balance owing on Sundry Contracts $		3,569
Street Repairs—		
To men's labor on streets	$748 00	
" Breaking rocks	446 00	
Hauling Acct	220 00	
		1,414 0
Charges—		
Salaries C. Officers, Police, &c	637 00	
Rent	55 00	
Printing & Stationery	161 00	
City Hall Designs	300 00	
Coal and Gas acct	211 50	
Legal Expenses	281 00	
		1,645 50
Quarantine, Medical Services, Nurses' Salaries		1,250 00
Donations, Royal Hospital		150 00
Victoria Fire Department		1,739 98
Bank B. N. A.		3,896 33
Balance		3,019 13
		$16,673 94

I certify the above to be a correct Statement of Assets and Liabilities according to the Books of the Corporation of the City of Victoria on 31st Dec., 1875.
W. C. SIFFKEN, Auditor.
VICTORIA, January 26th, 1876. ja28

ABSTRACT of the CASH ACCOUNT of the Victoria Board of Cemetery Trustees, from the 1st of January to 31st of December, 1875, both inclusive.

DR.	
To Cash Balance from 1874 $	50 06
To Cemetery Fees	1,471 75
1875.	$1,621 81
To Cash Balance from 1875	89 31

CR.		
By General Expenses—		
Wages and Salaries	$180 00	
Legal Expenses	27 50	
		$207 50
By Ross Bay Cemetery—		
Wages and Salaries	609 00	
Traveling Exp., Messages, &c	63 25	
Stationery, &c	14 25	
Printing and advertising	6 00	
Insurance	15 00	
		707 50
Balance due Architect	140 00	
Painting	60 00	
Surveyor's work	17 50	
		217 50
By Interest on Mortgages		400 00
By Cash Balance to 1876		89 31
		$1,621 81

We the undersigned declare that to the best of our knowledge the account appearing in the Cash Book belonging to the Cemetery Board for the year ending 31st December, 1875, and the abstract of such account above written are correct and true.
J. H. TURNER,
R. P. RITHET,
P. McTIERNAN.
Witness—J. ROLAND HETT.
19th January, 1876. ja20

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D— "	35 " 50	do	do	5 00
E— "	50 " 65	do	do	5 00

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For 1,000	do	do	10	"	95 00
For 1,000	do	do	15	"	51 00
For 1,000	do	do	20	"	31 20

One Premium Endowment Policies.

For $1,000	each	payment	in 5	years	$800 0
For 1,000	do	do	10	"	550 00
For 1,000	do	do	15	"	400 00
For 1,000	do	do	20	"	300 00

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